

Additional Error Codes and Explanations

This flier provides a narrative description of certain error codes providers may receive on their remittance advice. These codes have not yet been published in your MassHealth provider manual. Pharmacy providers may also encounter some of them at the time of an on-line transaction. For error codes not listed here, continue to consult part 5.9 of your MassHealth billing instructions.

Error No.	Error Description	Error No.	Error Description
050	A less south mothed of somiles and assume in	124	Char Dannais d'an Français in
	A less costly method of service or treatment is available.	134 135	Shoe Prescription Form missing. This service code requires a modifier.
	This service is not reimbursable by MassHealth.	133 141	The from and through dates of service entered on
061	A report containing a higher level of detail must be attached to the claim.	141	the claim span both a contractual and non-contractual period; the claim must be split-billed.
	The procedure code entered on the claim is incorrect for this service.	149 184	Member not enrolled in hospice. Zero pay claim.
	The procedure code modifier entered on the claim is incorrect for this service.	188	The procedure code entered on the claim is not covered for members enrolled in this coverage type .
065	Payment included in primary procedure.	192	The certification of medical necessity attached to
	Reimbursement for this service has been made to another physician.		the claim requires review. (If this claim was billed electronically, it should be submitted on paper.)
	A CLIA certification number is not on file; contact Provider Enrollment.	193	Certification of medical necessity missing; the procedure code entered on the claim requires that
	The date of service entered on the claim is prior to the effective date of CLIA certification .		certification of medical necessity be attached to the claim. (If this claim was billed electronically, it
	The date of service entered on the claim is after the expiration date of CLIA certification .	290	should be submitted on paper.) This claim requires review. (If this claim was billed
	The CLIA certification information on file does not allow for reimbursement for this service.	304	electronically, it should be submitted on paper.) This claim requires review. (If this claim was billed
086	Benefits exhausted.		electronically, it should be submitted on paper.)
	The value code entered on the claim conflicts with the patient status code entered on the claim.	358	Chiropractic services require review. (If this claim was billed electronically, it should be submitted on
089	The Admission Type Code is invalid or missing.	359	paper.) This claim requires review. (If this claim was billed
	This claim is a duplicate of a previously paid claim.	339	electronically, it should be submitted on paper.)
	This claim is a duplicate of a claim previously paid as a Medicare/MassHealth crossover claim for the same date of service.	474	Revenue codes 360-369 entered on the claim are not covered by MassHealth on the same date of service
112	This claim is a duplicate of a claim previously paid as a Medicare/MassHealth crossover claim for the	479	when billed with revenue codes 490-499. The revenue code rate of payment is not on file.
		480	The revenue code entered on the claim is not covered
113	same date of service. This claim is a duplicate of a claim previously paid	400	by MassHealth on the date of service entered on the claim.
	for the same date of service.	482	Senior Pharmacy must be billed through POPS.
	This service is a component of a comprehensive procedure for which reimbursement has been made; this component will not be reimbursed separately.	483	Claims for substance abuse and mental health services must be submitted to MassHealth's
	This component of a comprehensive service has already been reimbursed.	484	Behavioral Health contractor . The member's coverage type is buy in/subsidy only.
116	The combination of this procedure and at least one other comprehensive and bundling procedure submitted either on the same claim form or on a previous claim form , for the same member, on the same date of service, to the same provider is not allowed.	486	The procedure code entered on the claim is not covered for members enrolled in this coverage type ; the member is enrolled in MassHealth Basic.

Error No.	Error Description	Error No.	Error Description
		809	The number of minutes of waiting time entered on
487	The procedure code entered on the claim is not covered for the member's coverage type .		the claim is not reimbursable by MassHealth if the number of miles entered on the claim is less than 40.
488	The procedure code entered on the claim is not covered for members enrolled in this coverage type ; the member is enrolled in MassHealth Limited.	837	This claim was denied because it exceeded the 36-month deadline from the date of service entered on the claim.
489	The procedure code entered on the claim is not covered for members enrolled in this coverage type ;	847	This claim must be submitted on paper to MassHealth.
	the member is enrolled in MassHealth Family	856	Services must be billed on a daily basis.
	Assistance.	857	Services must be billed on a monthly basis.
544	The procedure code entered on the claim requires	858	The provider rate is not on file.
	that the service be performed by the member's PCC .	860	This claim requires review. (If this claim was billed
547	The member is enrolled in Managed Care, and		electronically, it should be submitted on paper.)
	therefore, is required to have this service provided by their PCC .	880	The tooth number entered on the claim is invalid for the procedure code entered on the claim.
548	The member is enrolled in Managed Care, was seen in the emergency department, and a screening was	881	The tooth surface code entered on the claim is invalid for the procedure code entered on the claim.
	provided. Additional inappropriate emergency-department screening services were also provided.	884	This claim requires review. (If this claim was billed electronically, it should be submitted on paper.)
574	This provider is not authorized by MassHealth to perform the services entered on the claim.	885	This claim requires review. (If this claim was billed electronically, it should be submitted on paper.)
575	The provider number entered on the claim is not on the MassHealth provider file; contact Provider Enrollment.	886	Medical records missing; the procedure code entered on the claim requires that the medical records be attached to the claim. (If this claim was billed
595	This service has been billed on previous and current claims.	887	electronically, it should be submitted on paper.) The medical record attached to the claim is
597	The procedure code entered on the claim was previously paid for a new-patient or initial-visit; an		incomplete.
	established-patient or periodic-procedure code may	913	APG Outlier review.
598	be billed to MassHealth. The procedure codes entered on the claim cannot be	919	This claim requires review. (If this claim was billed electronically, it should be submitted on paper.)
390	billed for the same member, on the same date of service.	922	This claim requires review. (If this claim was billed electronically, it should be submitted on paper.)
605	The procedure code entered on the claim is not reimbursable by MassHealth to municipally-based	923	The claim has been denied after prepayment review by the MassHealth contractor.
	health services providers.	924	The procedure code entered on the
673	The number of MLOA days are missing on the claim form.		Medicare/MassHealth claim must be billed on a MassHealth claim form.
674	The member was enrolled in Hospice care for the from and to dates of service entered on the claim.	951	The Medicare type of service code must be entered in item 24C of the HCFA-1500 claim form.
675	The number of MLOA or NMLOA days entered on	963	Invalid rate ID for admission date.
	the claim are not reimbursable by MassHealth.	964	The rate identification code entered on the claim conflicts with the treatment authorization code
750	A referring provider number must be entered on all claim forms for chiropractor services.	966	entered on the claim. The dates of service entered on the claim must be
761	Long-term-care contractual providers must also be casemix providers: contact Provider Enrollment.	700	within the approval range of the pre-admission
777	The date of service is after the expiration of the PA.		screening.
799	Medical Necessity form incomplete.		